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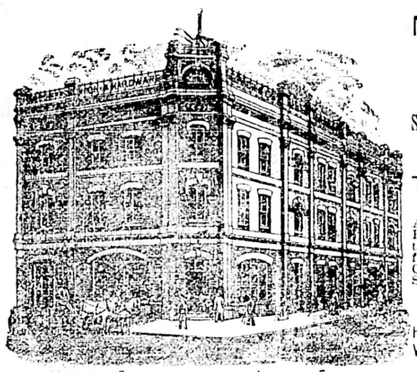

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VICTORIA BUILDING SOCIETY

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the 6th Drawing for an appropriation in connection with above Society will take place at Harmony Hall, View street, on Wednesday, the 12th day of June, 1889, at 8 p. m. Outside public admitted. Balance of shares, Series C and D, can be taken up at any time on payment of $1.75. (Back dues from start of Society not asked for till shares have drawn an appropriation.) For particulars apply to the undersigned, at his office, 30 Fort st., or at Harmony Hall every Monday evening, from 7:30 to 9:30.

By order, A. ST. G. FLINT, Sec'y. my30-2w

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Notice to Mariners.

NO. 7 SPAR BUOY ON BEAVER Rock, Victoria Harbour, having been carried away, Masters and others are notified not to approach a platform erected near the above mentioned rock, on which are 9 feet L. W., springs nearer than 50 yards passing to the southward.

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Plans and particulars can be obtained at Alberni, at the stores of either Messrs. W. P. Sayward or H. Saunders; or at Victoria from Matthew T Johnson, Esq., the attorney for the proprietors.

11th June, 1889. je12-1m

MUNICIPAL NOTICE.

All consumers of water of Victoria City Water Works are requested to take notice that water for irrigating purposes shall be used during the irrigating season in the different wards of the city between the hours of 6 p.m. and 10 p. m. only on the respective days mentioned, namely: In Johnson Street Ward on Mondays and Wednesdays; in Yates Street Ward on Tuesdays and Fridays; in James Bay Ward on Wednesdays and Saturdays. Any infractions of the above regulations will involve an immediate increase of the water rates of the parties concerned.

By order,

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C.

City Clerk's Office, June 11th, 1889. je12

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Queen Charlotte Islands Surveys

I purpose leaving Victoria on the 15th June, with a surveying party, for Queen Charlotte Islands. Any person requiring surveys made in that District may find it to their advantage to call upon me at Messrs. Bourchier & Higgins' Real Estate office, before the above date.

T. S. GORE, je7-1w Dominion Land Surveyor.

CAPITAL NOTES.

Mayor Grant's Evidence before the Senate Committee

Liable to Prove Invaluable to the United States Government.

Regret Expressed at Ottawa that His Worship Should Lend Himself to the Purposes of a Foreign State.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, Ont., June 11.—Considerable surprise is expressed in official circles at the evidence given by Mayor Grant, of Victoria, in reference to the Alaska boundary, before the Senate committee of the United States during their recent visit. It is generally believed that the United States government has been making strenuous efforts to convince the government of Canada that the boundary line between Alaska and the Dominion as prescribed by the treaty of St. Petersburg was an impossible and undefinable boundary. In the hope of reopening the whole subject and negotiating a new treaty, which they expect of course will be more favorable to their interests than the Anglo-Russian convention of 1825, Mayor Grant has been furnishing just the very kind of evidence which the United States government has been trying to secure, but apparently without success until they met Mr. Grant. Regret is expressed here that a man of his intelligence and prominence should consciously or unconsciously lend himself to the purposes of a foreign state in a matter of such moment to Canada, and especially to British Columbia.

The recent customs decision declares collectors must not issue a clearance for foreign ports unless the captain or officer first produces a shipping master's certificate showing that all requirement respecting the shipping of seamen has been complied with.

Hugh Graham; of the Montreal Star, has deposited $5,000 with the Receiver-General for the purpose of testing the Jesuits Estates act in the Supreme Court. The Government could not take action without stultifying itself. The whole thing is an advertising dodge. Graham's anti-Jesuit convention assembled at Toronto to-day. Five hundred delegates were present from all parts of Ontario and Quebec. Principal Caven acted as temporary chairman. The greatest enthusiasm prevails.

THE SEATTLE FIRE.

Notes and Incidents of the Disaster—Ladies Serving Food to the Needy.

The following notes and incidents of the Seattle fire are taken from yesterday's Post-Intelligencer:

If a stranger, uninformed of the fire, had been suddenly dropped on Second street, he would have thought he was a spectator of some great street fair. The tents and booths of the many hawkers, their cries in vending their wares and edibles, the crowds of moving people and teams, gave the thoroughfare the animated appearance of a gala day. But a glance to the south and west divested the scene entirely of its holiday appearance, and brought to view the stern reality of havoc and ruin occasioned by the disaster.

Thousands of hungry people dropped into the armory building all day, where with untiring efforts the ladies of the relief corps are still serving food to the needy.

The authorities there are grieved to think that a large number of people who are abundantly able to take care of themselves make a practice of coming three times a day for meals, while the ladies have more than they can do in attending to those who are absolutely without money and have no other place to go.

Little Stanley Evans, a two and a half year old Seattle boy, toddled into the relief committee's headquarters yesterday, and donated fifty cents—the entire amount of his fourth of July savings.

Fully 3,000 people were fed yesterday and several hundred given lodgings. Great numbers of baskets filled with provisions are being distributed and blankets and quilts given to the needy.

A woman in Shantytown rolled what she thought to be a barrel of flour all the way from a warehouse on the water front to her cabin. Imagine her surprise when mixing her first batch of bread from the beautiful white flakes to find it stiffen and harden in the pan. It was plaster of Paris.

A prominent merchant on Front street is said to have carried the sign away from his store front while he left his books and papers at the mercy of the flames.

About 100 tents have already been put up on the Hill addition directly east of the Jackson street base ball ground. The remainder of the tents, numbering several hundred, will be put up to-day and to-morrow, and when ready for occupancy, will be able to shelter several thousand persons. The tents are being laid out in streets and present a very neat and cozy appearance.

Henry Villard yesterday made to the relief committee a personal donation of $1,000 in aid of the Seattle sufferers. Mr. Villard left at 11 a. m. for Portland.

THE JESUIT QUESTION.

Hugh Graham, of the Montreal "Star," Takes the Initiatory Step,

In Bringing the Matter Before the Supreme Court—Text of the Petition—A Deposit of $5,000 Made for Costs.

OTTAWA, June 10.—Considerable excitement was occasioned to-day by the arrival of Mr. Hugh Graham, of Montreal, accompanied by Messrs. D. McMaster, Q. C., R. D. McGibbon, Q. C., and A. W. Atwater, Q. C. The movements of the party were mysterious, but it has been learned late this evening that the gentlemen named called at the department of state and filed a petition asking for a reference of the Jesuit Act to the Supreme Court of Canada under a section of the law constituting the court. The petition was accompanied by a certified cheque on the bank of Montreal here for $5,000. The petition was immediately laid before the executive council, which was in session this afternoon. The gentlemen also had an interview with Sir John Macdonald.

The following is the full text of the petition:

To His Excellency the Governor General of Canada:

The humble petition of Hugh Graham, of the city of Montreal, journalist, respectfully represents:

First—That grave doubts have been expressed and exist regarding the legality and constitutionality of the acts of the legislature of the province of Quebec entitled "An act to incorporate the Society of Jesuits (50 Victoria, cap. 13), and "An act respecting the settlement of the Jesuits' and estate" (51, 52 Victoria, cap. 13.)

Second—That it is desirable that an opinion should be pronounced upon these acts by the highest judicial tribunal in the Dominion.

Third—That your petitioner, who is a citizen of the Dominion of Canada and a taxpayer of the province of Quebec, acting on his own behalf and on behalf of others, is desirous that the powers conferred upon Your Excellency in council by section 37 of the "Supreme and Exchequer Court Act" (Revised Statutes of Canada, chap. 135), which reads as follows: "The Governor in council may refer to the Supreme Court for hearing or consideration any matter which he thinks fit to refer, and the court shall thereupon hear or consider the same and certify their opinion thereon to the Governor in council," should be exercised in order that counsel may be heard by the said court upon the said questions.

Fourth—That in order to avoid any question with respect to provision being made by your excellency in council for the expenses incidental to such reference, your petitioner declares the willingness of himself and those associated with him to bear the necessary costs of the government, and as an evidence of such willingness your petitioner herewith deposits his certified cheque on the Bank of Montreal, payable to the order of J. M. Courtney, Esq., deputy minister of finance, for the sum of five thousand dollars; and your petitioners as in duty bound will ever pray.

It is not known what action was taken by the government, but it is freely stated here to-night that a lengthy and stormy session of the cabinet was held. Mr. Graham and party left for Montreal by the afternoon train.

MISCELLANEOUS.

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CONDENSED DESPATCHES.

The Montreal Star says reliable information leaves no doubt that Premier Mercier is hard at work preparing for an autumn session and general election immediately after.

Lieut.-Col. Lamontague, D. A. G., died in Montreal last night. He was on the commissariat staff in the Northwest rebellion, and served through the the Fenian raid.

The city council of Toronto has voted $3,000 for the relief of the Johnstown sufferers.

Another summons is to be issued against Viscount Mandeville, eldest son of the Duke of Manchester, whose bankruptcy was announced about three months ago. The Viscount is charged with obtaining money under false pretenses.

It is reported that the Canada Southern Railway are negotiating for the purchase of the Erie & Huron Railway, and it is expected the deal will be consummated in a few days.

"Jack" Walker, a boatman, and Frank Davey, were out in the river above Niagara Falls, on Sunday, when they lost control of their boat and were swept over the falls, passing almost directly to the middle of the horseshoe. The bodies have not yet been recovered.

Ricardo Rutledge, a watchmaker, committed suicide at Montreal on Sunday by shooting himself through the heart in the barn of his father-in-law, Geo. Clarke.

The strike of seamen and firemen has paralyzed the shipping business at Belfast.

Food for Seattle.

Contributions for the suffering people of Seattle in the form of well-cooked provisions, are what is wanted now. Mr. Joseph Heywood busied himself all day yesterday in soliciting subscriptions of this kind, while Mr. W. W. Evans, Yates street, has a standing offer to cook any meats to be sent to Seattle. Let everyone prepare a suitable donation.

The Shah Visits Berlin.

LONDON, June 9.—The Shah of Persia, with his suite, arrived here from St. Petersburg to-day. He was welcomed by Emperor William and several royal princes, Count Herbert Bismarck and a crowd of civil and military officials. Royal salutes were fired during the progress of the Shah to Bellevue Castle, and an ovation was given him on his arrival. The Emperor gives him a banquet at the castle this evening.

AMERICAN NEWS.

San Francisco Contributes $10,000 for Seattle.

Another Flooded Town—Pennsylvania in Need of Help.

The U. S. Warships Trenton and Vandalia to be Abandoned—The U. S. S. Adams will Sail for Honolulu.

No Danger of an Epidemic.

WASHINGTON, June 10.—Surgeon-General Hamilton made a report to the President this afternoon of his investitions at Johnstown and their results. The surgeon says that there is no danger of an epidemic at Johnstown; that the only danger, if any, is at the towns below Johnstown, the inhabitants of which may find their water contaminated. He suggests boiling the water before using for drinking or cooking. He says that it will take about ten days to clear away the debris now in the river. He discourages the idea of burning it, as the bodies are in the water and would not be reached by the flames. He says that money and provisions are still needed, but that the supply of clothing now on hand is adequate to all necessities. Rubber gloves, however, are needed for handling the dead.

An Appeal for Help.

RENOVA, Pa., June 10.—Ten days have passed since the disastrous flood swept through three-quarters of Renova and laid waste the houses of the people of this town. So very much has been said and written of the sufferings in other places that Renova has been almost forgotten, except in the matter of provision. Sufficient clothing and food has been contributed to relieve the immediate wants of the distressed, but unless aid in the shape of money comes to the people, they will be unable to again build up their homes. The condition of the people here is distressing in the extreme. The majority of the homes destroyed represent a life-time saving of working men, and unless outside aid comes there will be suffering and poverty such as has not yet been known. Unaided, the people are unable to start anew the building of the destroyed houses.

The Adams Ready for Sea.

VALLEJO, Cal., June 10.—The man-of-war Adams is ready for sea. Her officers, crew, stores and ammunition are all aboard, and it is expected that she will leave the navy yard on Wednesday. Contrary to the published reports, she will not go to Behring's Sea with instructions in regard to the enforcement of the proclamation of the President, but the commander of the ship has orders to proceed to Honolulu, and he will then be under the direction of the commanding officer of the Pacific squadron.

Sailed for the Arctic.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 10.—The U. S. revenue steamer Bear sailed to-day for the Arctic. She has on board building material for the Point Barrow relief station and men who will stay at the station. She will, after landing supplies, etc., cruise in the Arctic.

War Ships Abandoned.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 10.—The Trenton and Vandalia, which were wrecked at Samoa last March, have been abandoned by the Government, and their names will be stricken from the navy list. All the valuables of both vessels, including the batteries, have been recovered, and are now en route to San Francisco on the steamship Alameda. Admiral Kimberly and the remaining survivors are on the boat, and expect to reach this country about the 8th of July.

An Outlaw Drowned.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., June 11.—Cole Younger, the notorious outlaw, while attempting to ford a river on horseback on Saturday was drowned. Ernest Williams, who has been a partner of the Youngers in several thieving escapades, was the only witness to the accident. His storiet of the drowning of his "pal" were so conflicting that he was arrested, and is held to await the recovery of Younger's body.

Notorious Desperado Captured.

AUGUSTA, Me., June 11.—Pinkerton men passed down the upper Kennebec Valley on Sunday, having in charge a French-Canadian named Dulac, chief of a gang of Canadian desperadoes frequenting the Moose River wilderness, and for whose arrest the Dominion government offered a large reward. Dulac's chief crimes were the raiding of the settlement of St. Francis with his band, setting fire to numerous barns, the killing of an old man, and the stealing of several horses, including a valuable stallion owned by a government official.

Burning the Debris.

JOHNSTOWN, June 10.—The debris of the raft on the east side near the bridge was fired to-night. This means that a number of bodies must be burned. The fire is burning slowly, and no authority is given for the measure. Gen. Hastings didn't ease to talk of it.

A Light Punishment.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 10.—Alice Lemar, who enticed young girls into a so-called millinery shop and then sold them into a life of shame, has been given ten days to leave the state.

Prize Fight for a Lady.

SAUCELITO, Cal., June 10.—A prize fight took place here last evening between Geo. W. Smith and Jack Ryan and resulted in a draw. The fight was over a lady.

Another Relief Fund.

VALLEJO, Cal., June 10.—Over $1000 has been raised for the Johnstown sufferers, and there is a desire to contribute to a fund for Seattle.

San Francisco's Donation.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 11.—It was decided to send $10,000 to Seattle, and more, if necessary, matters in future to rest with the executive committee.

Shot by an Adopted Son.

ATLANTA, Ga., June 11.—State Senator Samuel E. Fields, aged sixty, living near Dalton, threatened to whip his adopted son, Dennis Taylor, aged twenty, this morning. The boy had been in an asylum, and is supposed to be of unsound mind. Dennis procured a gun and shot Field, killing him instantly. He made no effort to escape, and is now in jail.

Murdered by Indians.

TUCSON, A.T., June 11.—News was brought here this morning of the killing of two white men, 150 miles southeast of Hermesillo, Sonora, a few days ago by Apache Indians. The killing was done in Sabuaripa canyon, in the Sierra Madres. A pack train was going through with supplies, when signs of Indians were discovered, but too late to return. The body of another white man was found beside his house in the canyon. Four Indians were seen, but the band is thought to be much larger. This is the same range of mountains that Geronimo inhabited so long and out of which troops could not drive him.

Leonard Meyer's Case.

PHOENIX, June 11.—The case of the Territory vs. A. Leonard Meyer, lately Wells, Fargo & Co.'s agent, was brought up for preliminary examination before Justice Sherman yesterday. After evidence had been offered the prosecution withdrew the case themselves. The case was again brought up on Saturday before Justice Richards, who held Meyer to appear before the grand jury. Bail was fixed at $5,000. Judge Porter, of the district court, directed the sheriff to bring Meyer before him this morning on a writ of habeas corpus.

LITTLE LOCALS.

City Council and Eli Perkins—both to-night.

A lodge of Orangemen is to be formed at Nanaimo this evening.

The St. George's Society hold their annual picnic at Langford Plains on Dominion Day.

No duty will be charged on articles of food sent to Seattle for the relief of the destitute there.

The Board of Licensing Commissioners will sit at noon to-day in the city police court room.

The Methodist Sunday school of Nanaimo will hold their annual picnic at Somenos on the 1st of July.

We make a specialty of taking ladies portraits in "evening" or "bridal" dress. Hall & Lowe, Photographers.

The Grand Lodge, A. F. and A. M., will meet in this city on Saturday, the 22nd inst., for their annual meeting.

The Provincial Museum has been enriched by the donation of a West Indian scorpion from Mr. E. H. Hart.

McLennan & McFeely have received a carload of fine stoves and ranges. Inspect before purchasing.

A company is being formed in Vancouver to manufacture the Oriel Sanitary Drain Pipe for use in the new sewerage system adopted by the Terminal City.

The First Presbyterian Sabbath school's annual picnic will be held at Florence Lake, Langford Plains, on the 1st of July next.

Some children set fire to the dry grass on Pandora hill yesterday afternoon. It was extinguished by Mrs. Gardner and Miss Burgess.

Mr. William Grimm, carriage builder, is having the ground prepared upon which to erect a two-story brick shop on Johnson street.

Mr. Robert Turnbull has recovered sufficiently from his recent injuries to resume his position as mate on the steamer Islander.

Mr. J. A. T. Caton's residence, James Bay, had a narrow escape from fire yesterday. Little boys playing with matches set fire to the grass about the house.

The Northern Pacific Railway Company has instructed all their agents to forward all donations for the relief of the sufferers by the Johnstown flood free of charge.

The funeral of the late Henry Winnecott, of Parson's Bridge, took place yesterday, services being held in Christ Church Cathedral by Rev. A. Beanlands, and the interment being made in Ross Bay Cemetery.

A festive bluejacket attempted to explain the principles of fistic war to a well known sea captain now living at Esquimalt, yesterday, with the result that the bluejacket wears two mournful eyes and bears other marks of the fray.

It is suggested that the quickest way for affording relief to the sufferers by the Seattle fire would be for the Council to pass a resolution to-night appropriating $2000 for that purpose.

The Blue Ribbon Club will pay a visit to Esquimalt this evening for the purpose of re-organizing the Blue Ribbon Club in that thriving hamlet.

Residents of Yates street, between Douglas and Wharf, complain that the main on that thoroughfare is too small to supply the amount of water required for ordinary service, to say nothing of affording fire protection.

An emergency meeting of the Royal Arch Chapter of Scotland was held last evening, for work in the highest degree.

A toy cannon in the hands of small boys living near Church Hill has been the cause of much annoyance to those living near, during the past few evenings. Last night the police captured the instrument of war, and confiscated it for the city arsenal.

The members of the Y.M.C.A. Outing Club took their first ramble of the season last evening, going as far as Craigflower.

Colfax Lodge No. 1, Daughters of Rebekah, met last evening, with a full attendance of members, and nominated officers for the ensuing year.

The publication of Truth will cease at Donald on Saturday, July 13th, to be resumed at Nelson on Saturday, August 17th.

A boat load of smuggled Chinamen was captured at Port Townsend a few days ago. One of the Celestials, when searched, had nearly two pounds of gold nuggets, from the size of a pin's head to a small egg, stored on his person.

From Victoria the Modjeska Company will go to Tacoma, and then east by the Northern Pacific. Victoria hopes to see them again next season.

H. M. S. Swiftsure, Amphion and Icarus have returned to Esquimalt harbor.

Mr. T. D. Conway, who has the contract for the Bonilla Point Telegraph Line, is in the city. The work of construction is already well under way, over ten miles of poles being in position.

MARINE.

Barque J. H. Bowers will leave the dock to-day or to-morrow.

Steamship Walla Walla is due from San Francisco to-day.

The barque Paul has been chartered to load Puget Sound lumber for Valparaiso.

Ship Gitana, having taken in ballast, was hauled off instream at Esquimalt yesterday, and is now waiting to be toward to Vancouver to-day.

H.M.S. Champion is expected hourly at Esquimalt.

The barque Seminole, Capt. Delano, sailed from Port Moody for San Francisco on Monday with about 2250 tons of Anthracite Company's coal.

The steamship Idaho arrived at Vancouver from Portland on Sunday. She had no passengers or consignees, and the Vancouver agent, Mr. Campbell, states that both trips she has so far made she has lost money, and hoped the merchants would soon recognize the necessity of giving her merchandise to carry or else she must be taken off the route.

BY TELEGRAPH.

BREMEN, June 11.—Arrived: Fulda, New York.

HAMBURG, June 11.—Arrived: Moravia, New York.

Plans for the new Northern Pacific hotel and station at Winnipeg are out. The building will be seven stories high, and will cost $150,000.

CABLE NEWS.

Exciting Scene in the French Chamber.

Germany Assumes the Upper Hand with Switzerland.

The Army of Montenegro Preparing for Active Service—Boulangist Rioters Arrested.

Methodist Church Conference.

LONDON, June 10.—The annual conference of the Methodist church (the new connection) is now in session. The conference has elected Rev. Mr. Pearson, of London, president.

Pope Leo Depressed.

LONDON, June 10.—Advices from Rome to-day indicate that the Pope is still greatly depressed over the demonstration yesterday at the unveiling of the Bruno memorial. Speaking to one of the officials of the Vatican to-day, he said the event of yesterday was even sadder than were those of 1870, when only the temporal power of the Pope was attacked. Yesterday's demonstration was an attempt to destroy the spiritual authority, the only power now left him.

Preparing for Active Service.

CETTINGE, June 11.—The Prince of Montenegro has ordered that the army of Montenegro be immediately reorganized and put in readiness for active service at the shortest notice.

Boulangist Rioters.

PARIS, June 11.—M. M. Laguerre, Laisall and Deroulede, who were arrested for resisting the authorities at Angouleme on Sunday, on the occasion of the prohibition of the Boulangist meeting there, were placed on trial at that place to-day. The charge against them is that of rioting and threatening the police.

Relief of Johnstown.

DUBLIN, June 11.—Lord Mayor Sexton has sent a communication to the Mayor of Cork, requesting that official to co-operate with him in raising a fund for the relief of the sufferers at Johnstown and other stricken towns in Conemaugh valley.

Excited Deputies.

PARIS, June 11.—There was an exciting meeting in the Chamber of Deputies to-day, when M. Seguin presented his interpolation on the subject of the action of the Angouleme authorities in suppressing the Boulangist meeting on Sunday. M. Seguin in his speech was very bitter in his denunciation of the Government. He said that the violence of the Government officials had aroused a strong feeling in the masses, and that the people were wrought up to such a pitch of indignation that they refused to be terrorized. He warned the Government that their tyrannical measures would prove unavailing and that the people would persist in exercising the undoubted rights of freemen, despite the attempt to deprive them of their liberties. M. Coustons, Minister of the Interior, replied to M. Seguin. He said that the action of the authorities at Angouleme was entirely justifiable. Deroulede, the deputy whom they arrested, had assaulted the Commissary of Police, and the official only performed his duty in taking him into custody. The other deputies who were arrested had also interfered with the police while engaged in the discharge of their duty. If, as was threatened, the malcontents at Angouleme persisted in attempts to hold unlawful meetings, the government would send police there. At this point M. Laur, deputy for the department of the Loir, interrupted the speaker, and in an excited manner shouted: "Just try and send your police to interfere with me. I will blow the brains out of the first one who approaches me." This caused a great uproar, in which deputies of all shades of political political took a hand, and for a time the chamber became perfect pandemonium. The Boulangist deputies were most demonstrative in their efforts to make themselves heard above the prevailing confusion, and M. M. Laur, Dormane and Brisuil had to be called to order by the chair. When a semblance of order had been restored, M. Constants proceeded with his speech and amid the vociferous cheers of the left, stated the government would deal most severely with such disturbers as these of Angauleme.

Germany and Switzerland.

BERLIN, June 11.—The German government has formally notified the government of Switzerland that it is impossible for Germany to agree with Switzerland in the justice of the latter's course in the affair of Police Inspector Wahlgemuth, and that Germany reserves the right to take action in the matter.

Austrian Clergy Offended.

VIENNA, June 11.—The unveiling in Rome of the statue of Giordano Bruno has deeply offended the Austrian clericals. Vaterland characterizes the fete and accompanying ceremonies as "worthy of the devil," and the bishop of Linz has ordered an offering up of public prayers in expiation of this outrage upon the Pope and Church.

Boulangists in a Ferment.

PARIS, June 10.—The government issued an order to the police to prevent the proposed meeting of Boulangists to-day in the department of Charente, and when the people assembled to attend the meeting they found a cordon of soldiers in possession of the hall. M. de Roulede, president of the Boulangerist organization known as the "Patriotic League," and deputies Laisant, Laguerre and Richard, all of whom were announced to speak at the meeting, protested so violently at the action of the police that they were arrested. Scores of their sympathisers were also arrested, and the populace is in a ferment. The troops have been confined to their barracks.

Secret Treaty with Russia.

ST. PETERSBURG, June 10.—It is reported here that the Shah of Persia, during his visit to the Czar, entered into a secret treaty, temporarily annexing the northern portion of Persia to the Russian empire, in the event of certain contingencies happening which is defined in the treaty.

Another Hitch Arises.

LONDON, June 10.—The Times Berlin correspondent telegraphs that the point in the provisional agreement reached by the Samoan conference to which the government at Washington more especially objects is the agreement for an international control of Samoa. A hitch has undoubtedly arisen on the question of punishment of Mataafa, concerning which there is apparently a divergence of opinion between Washington and Berlin.

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MR. HIGGINS' ACCUSATION.

We are sorry that Mr. Higgins in the letter which we publish to-day accuses us of having changed and distorted the reference which he made in his letter of June 2nd to the Report of the Senate Committee. This accusation is a serious one and compels us to make an explanation which does not show our correspondent in a light which is at all favorable. To prevent misunderstanding we will give his accusation verbatim. He says:

Even when you distorted and changed (with the apparent intention of heaping ridicule on me) my reference to the Senate Committee's report so as to make it seem that I had said that the whole of the Peace River valley was confined to lands which (you say) the Government are trying to pass over to the Dominion Government. I did not lose my temper. I mildly remonstrated with you for your misconstruction, which I trust was not wilful.

In the first place, we printed Mr. Higgins' letter exactly as it was written. We did not change or distort one single word of it. We took no liberties with his manuscript. And as he read the proof himself he could discover in a moment whether it was changed or not. So, then, as far as his own letter goes, there was no changing or distorting. Our readers will judge for themselves whether there was any misconstruction of his reference to the Senate Committee's report. He says in his letter of June 2nd:

To that report, (the Senate Committee's), I now refer you in the hope that you will publish it and so give your readers some idea of the magnificent country which you and those whose policy you endorse are endeavoring to pass over to the Dominion Government. I have only time to quote a brief synopsis in this letter, which I rely upon your kindness to print. The report says inter alia: "That with suitable steam crafts the trade of country may be enjoyed by Victoria and Vancouver; that there is a possible area of 656,000 square miles fitted for the growth of potatoes, 407,000 square miles suitable for barley and 316,000 square miles suitable for wheat. That only 400,000 square miles is useless for the pasturage of domestic animals or for cultivation."

Now, we ask anyone capable of understanding English what other construction can be put on this passage than the one we gave it, which is that Mr. Higgins wished the public to believe that the areas he enumerated were contained in the magnificent country which we and those whose policy we endorse are endeavoring to pass over to the Dominion Government. The passage is too clearly written to admit of any other meaning to be taken out of it. We had no doubt when we read it, and we have no doubt now, that that is how Mr. Higgins intended the readers of his letter to understand it. Mr. Higgins is an experienced and skilful writer. He is no blunderer who, through ignorance and want of skill, says one thing when he means another. He was trying to show the public that the Peace River lands which it was proposed to exchange for the railway belt are very valuable indeed, and the terms he used show that the lands he mentioned and no others were the—we again quote his own words—"magnificent country which you and those whose policy you endorse are endeavoring to pass over to the Dominion Government." If he intended to describe the Peace River tract as it really is, he could not have expressed himself more clearly or pointedly. This, then, is what Mr. Higgins calls changing, and distorting and misconstruction—printing his letter exactly as it was written without altering a word or letter, and taking from his language the only meaning it was capable of conveying. We are not in the habit of changing, or distorting or misconstructing the documents from which we quote. That is a trick which we leave to shallow controversalists who consider any device admissable that will give them a temporary advantage over an opponent.

We are obliged to Mr. Higgins for the loan of the Senate committee's report. That report throws a flood of light upon Mr. Higgins' figures, and on his method of carrying on a discussion.

The report in the first place is not on the Peace River region alone. The select committee were appointed to inquire—we quote the Report itself—"as to the value of that part of the Dominion lying north of the Saskatchewan water-shed east of the Rocky Mountains and west of the Hudson Bay, comprising the Great Mackenzie Basin." This, according to Mr. Higgins, is "the magnificent country which you and those whose policy you endorse are endeavoring to pass over to the Dominion Government." It would have been very easy (in fact he was bound in fairness to do it) for Mr. Higgins to have told his readers what the scope of the committee's enquiry really was. But it did not suit his purpose to do so.

In his "synopsis," which he puts within inverted commas, Mr. Higgins says "that with suitable steam craft the trade of the country may be enjoyed by Victoria and Vancouver."

The text of the report says "That with suitable steam craft this river and lake navigation may be connected with Victoria and Vancouver, by way of the mouth of the Mackenzie, the Arctic Ocean, Behring's Straits and Sea." Were there no changing and distorting and suppressing here? Why did not our correspondent tell the public that communication with the magnificent country which we and those whose policy we endorse are in favor of transferring to the Dominion Government could only be had by way of the mouth of the Mackenzie River, the Arctic Ocean and Behring's Straits and Sea? Was there no design in that suppression?

Mr. Higgins' synopsis, which is contained within quotation marks, proceeds as follows: "That there is a possible area of 656,000 square miles," etc. The text from which the quotation is taken says "that within the scope of the committee's enquiry there is a possible area" etc. Why were the words "within the scope of the committee's enquiry" left out? Was it because it would lead the readers of THE COLONIST to ask what was the scope of the committee's enquiry, and the answer to that question would lead to the conclusion that Mr. Higgins' figures were altogether irrelevant, that they had little more connection with the northeast corner of British Columbia than they had with the plains of Asiatic Russia.

Our readers will see from our quotations from the committee's report that Mr. Higgins' description of the "magnificent country which you and those whose policy you endorse are endeavoring to pass over to the Dominion did not apply to the land proposed to be exchanged for the railway belt, but to the whole of the northern and northwestern portions of the Dominion east of the Rocky Mountains. They will also see that if Mr. Higgins changes and distortions of the text of the committee's report were not intended to mislead the public as to the extent and the value of the British Columbia part of the Peace River region they are certainly calculated to have that effect.

Mr. Higgins has no ground to accuse us of treating him unfairly or of having misconstrued his letters. We have in the instance he has adduced put upon his language the only construction that it would admit of, and we have also given him credit for being sufficiently well skilled in the art of composition as to give a clear and unambiguous expression to his ideas.

AN INTERESTING COMPETITION.

A very interesting competition lately held in San Francisco goes to show that the female intellect is not in any way inferior to the male. The Examiner of that city has offered as a prize to the best pupil in the public schools a trip to Paris with parent or teacher. As may be supposed the announcement created quite a stir in the public schools of San Francisco. The best pupils of the different schools were selected for the competition. They were twenty-two in number, and of these twenty-two fifteen were girls. Their ages are between fourteen and seventeen. It is a significant fact that such a large proportion of those who were considered eligible to compete were of the female sex. These pupils show too that San Francisco is cosmopolitan and that talent is not monopolized by any race or nation. The children are of many nations by descent though they are no doubt all of them loyal American citizens. There are besides English, Irish and Scotch, German, Russian and Italian competitors. One of them, Kitty Weir, is a Canadian, born in Montreal. The tests, as far as we have seen, are fair and sensible. Some of the pupils made the greatest possible number of marks. They answered all questions correctly. The competition was not concluded at the latest advices, but we are ready to bet five to one that the pupil who will take that trip to Paris at the Examiner's expense will be a girl.

GREAT BRITAIN IN PARIS.

The director-in-chief of the Paris exposition, in a speech which he made a few days ago, spoke in high terms of the encouragement which Great Britain had given the enterprise. He said that British exhibitors of all foreigners had contributed most to its ornamentation, and that the English section was the most advanced at the opening. He praised British workmen for their skill and efficiency. They did their work well and quickly without noise or excitement. Other directors spoke gratefully and warmly of the assistance rendered by the British people. It is greatly to be regretted that Canada did not avail herself of the opportunity afforded by the Paris exposition to make herself better known to the nations of the world. This Dominion should invite comparison with any of the new countries. There is no reason why she should be diffident or retiring. She has been greatly misrepresented, and that, too, by those whose interest and whose duty it was to see that justice was done her in distant lands. They have suffered the world to get the impression that Canada is a kind of American Lapland, where people contrive to live and to enjoy life after a fashion in a country covered for the greater part of the year with snow and ice. Canadians have always been represented to them as clad in blankets and furs, tobogganing, sleigh-riding, snowshoeing or engaged in other winter sport amidst wintry surroundings. Few Europeans have ever seen the fruits and the flowers of Canada, or the vegetables and the cereals and other products of her fertile soil. The manufactures of this country, too, are a surprise to those who regard it as raw and rough; the abode of a few thousands of poverty-stricken settlers who have to struggle hard for a bare existence. The Canadian section at the London and Glasgow exhibitions was a genuine surprise to many of the visitors who were regarded as intelligent, and who thought that they knew something about Canada. The Paris Exposition afforded Canadians a still better opportunity of putting their country before the world in its true light, and it is a thousand pities that they did not avail themselves of it. Australia is well represented there and its inhabitants will no doubt be benefited by the knowledge of their country obtained by the visitors to the exposition.

EDITORIAL COMMENTS.

THE South African gold fields are said to be yielding largely. The area over which prospecting has been done is calculated at over 1,500 square miles, but there are thousands of miles more which are held by the Boers, who will not allow anyone to go upon their land in search of gold. This African gold country is not mountainous. It resembles a rolling prairie more than anything else. The mines are comparatively easy of access, and the climate is delightful. There is a railroad from Cape Town to Kimberly, 647 miles, and then there are 300 miles more of staging, which is described as by no means difficult. Towns have sprung up in the diggings containing from ten to twenty thousand inhabitants. There is a shorter route to the gold fields by way of Natal. It is also part rail and part wagon. Much of the machinery used at the African gold mines for crushing the ore is manufactured in the United States, it being acknowledged that the best machinery for gold mining is made in that country, and the South African miners are not burdened and discouraged by a heavy duty on mining machinery. Those miners are permitted to get their machinery where it is to be had best and cheapest.

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Having purchased the above for CASH will offer the same at HARD TIMES PRICES. WRITE FOR SAMPLES.
JOHN PARTRIDGE,
my7-1mo Proprietor.

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Dry Goods, Clothing
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THE TOTAL OUTPUT OF THE NEW WESTMINSTER WOOLLEN MILLS
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Blankets, Flannels and Tweeds,
IS CONTROLLED EXCLUSIVELY BY US.
We carry the largest stock of General Merchandize in the Province.
We sell to the Trade only.
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The only FIRST-CLASS HOTEL AND RESTAURANT IN VICTORIA, B. C. mar27

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WINDOW GLASS FOR SALE by the Box at WHOLESALE PRICES
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—THE—
Vancouver City Foundry and Machine Works
COMPANY (LIMITED),
BEGS to inform the citizens of Victoria and public generally, that all orders for Castings, Boilers, or other work in their line, will not only meet with prompt attention, but that in addition to reasonable rates (including free delivery in Victoria), they are also prepared to guarantee their work as equal, if not superior, to any to be had elsewhere in the Province. Having appointed ANDREW GRAY, Esq. (Victoria Machinery Depot) as their Agent in Victoria, with full power and authority to quote prices, receive orders and enter into contracts in their name. All parties desirous of further information are respectfully requested to apply to him on the subject.
nov20-tf R. P. COOKE, President.

CENTRAL SOCIETY
—OF—
VINEYARD PROPRIETORS'
COGNAC.
A SHIPMENT OF THE ABOVE SOCIETY'S RENOWNED
BRANDIES
Received—in Quarter Casks, Cases, Flasks, and ½ Flasks, direct from France,
—BY—
A. B. GRAY & CO., Victoria,
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PROPERTY FOR SALE.

IN THE SUPREME COURT
—OF—
BRITISH COLUMBIA.
CAMERON vs. HARPER
Sale of Defendant's Estate.
TENDERS
are invited for the purchase of the whole of the Estate of the Defendant in British Columbia, consisting of about
40,000 Acres
OF FREEHOLD LAND,
with Cattle, Horses, Agricultural Implements, etc., either *en bloc* as a going concern, or in parcels.
Tenders to be delivered (Sealed)
to the undersigned on or before the
1st day of August, 1889,
endorsed "Tenders for the purchase of the Estate of Thaddeus Harper."
For Full Details
of lands, chattels and Terms of Sale, etc.,
SEE CATALOGUES,
with Particulars and Conditions of Sale, which can be obtained from Mr. CHARLES WILSON, solicitor for plaintiff; from Messrs. DRAKE, JACKSON & HELMCKEN, solicitors for the defendant; and from the Offices of the "COLONIST," and "Times," Victoria, the "World," Vancouver, the "Inland Sentinel," Kamloops, the "Oregonian," Portland, Oregon, the "Bulletin," San Francisco, California, and the British Columbia Land Investment Agency (limited), 15 Sorjeants' Inn, Fleet street, London, E. C., England, and from the undersigned.
H. S. MASON,
J. C. PREVOST,
je4 Receivers.

ROYAL HOSPITAL PROPERTY
For Sale by Tender.
PURSUANT TO AN ACT PASSED AT the last session of the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia, entitled "An Act to authorize and facilitate the sale of the site of the Royal Hospital, with the buildings thereon," the Directors of the Royal Hospital invite sealed tenders for the purchase of so much of the lots known and numbered on the official map of Spring Ridge as Sections 24, 25, 26 and 27 Spring Ridge, in the City of Victoria, as is authorized by the said Act to be sold, being the present site of the Royal Hospital, with all improvements thereon, and containing five acres, more or less.
Tenders must be accompanied by a certified bank cheque for one thousand dollars; the balance of purchase money which shall be payable as may be agreed on, shall bear interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum, and shall be secured in a manner satisfactory to the Directors.
For plan of property and further particulars apply to J. Stuart Yates, Hon. Sec'y, to whom the tenders marked "Hospital Site Tender," must be addressed and sent in on or before 12 o'clock noon on the 21st day of June, 1889.
The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
J. STUART YATES, JOSHUA DAVIES,
Hon. Sec'y. President.
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FOR SALE.
A MACHINE SHOP, WITH COMPLETE outfit, valued at $5,500. Can be bought for $3,500. Splendid opening for parties wishing to engage in the Machine Shop business. For particulars apply to
F. G. RICHARDS, JR.,
ap17-1m No. 51 Yates street.

LAND FOR SALE
VICTORIA WEST.
The Cheapest Residential Property yet offered.
Land in the above desirable locality for sale, cleared and ready for immediate occupation, in lots 60×120, or ¼ acre, to suit purchasers. Water mains 150 feet distant.
For maps and terms apply to
JNO. J. AUSTIN,
mar10-tf Bastion street, Victoria.

HAY.
Best Island Hay,
FOR SALE.
Baled and delivered to any part of the city at lowest market rates.
J. D. PEMBERTON,
my10 2mo Gonzales Farm.

NOTICES.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Re ELWYN, Deceased.

PURSUANT TO A DECREE OF THE Supreme Court of British Columbia, made in the matter of the Estate of Thomas Elwyn, deceased, and in a cause of W. & J. Wilson and C. E. Redfern, on behalf of themselves and all other the creditors of the said Thomas Elwyn against Hamilton Moffatt. The creditors of the said Thomas Elwyn, late of the City of Victoria, who died on or about the 11th day of September, A. D. 1888, are, on or before the eleventh day of July, 1889, to come in and prove their claims at the office of the Registrar of the said Court, in the Court House, Bastion square, Victoria, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said decree. Thursday, the 18th day of July, 1889, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon at the said office, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.

Dated this 4th day of April, A. D. 1889.

JAMES C. PREVOST,
ap6-3m-dw Registrar.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Selkirk Mining and Smelting Company (Limited) have filed with me, under the provisions of the Mineral Acts, an application for a Crown grant of the "Lunark" mineral claim in the Illecillewaet camp in West Kootenay District. Adverse claimants, if any, are required to send in their objections within sixty days from the date hereof.

G. M. SPROAT,
Farwell, 7th May, 1889. G. C., &c.
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT Wah Lee, of Quesnelle, B. C., Merchants, have made an assignment, dated the 4th April, 1889, for the benefit of their creditors, to Dong Tai, of Victoria, B. C., Trader, and all persons claiming to be creditors of their estate are requested to send full particulars of their claims to the undersigned on or before Monday the 20th day of May, 1889, when the trustee will proceed to distribute the moneys in his hands ratably among those creditors only who may then have proved their claims; and all persons indebted to the said estate are requested forthwith to pay the amount of their indebtedness to the said Dong Tai, or the undersigned.

Dated the 10th day of April, 1889.

EBERTS & TAYLOR,
Langley street, Victoria, B. C.,
ap17 Solicitors for the said Dong Tai.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT Ewon Bell, of Clinton, B.C., merchant, has made an assignment dated April 18th, 1889, for the benefit of his creditors, to Thomas Earle, merchant, and A. A. Green, bankor, both of Victoria, B.C., and all persons claiming to be creditors of his estate are requested to send full particulars of their claims to the said Thomas Earle on or before Saturday, the 1st day of June, 1889; and all persons indebted to the said estate are required forthwith to pay the amount of their indebtedness to the said Trustees.

EBERTS & TAYLOR,
Solicitors for the Trustees.
April 24th, 1889. ap25

NOTICE is hereby given that sixty days after date I intend making application to the Honorable, the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to cut and carry away timber from a tract of land situated on Valdez Island, described as follows: Commencing at a post planted in a bay one mile north of Bow Point; thence north 40 chains; thence west 60; thence north 60; thence east 100; thence south 120; thence west 40 chains to point of commencement, containing 1,000 acres, more or less.

JOSEPH LITTLE.
Nanaimo, April 19th, 1889.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT 30 days after date we intend making application to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works for a lease, for timbering purposes, of the undermentioned tracts of land, situate in Sayward District, and described as follows:—Block No. 1. Commencing at a post on the shore of Discovery Passage, about two miles below Seymour Narrows, said point being the north-west corner of Lot 12, Sayward District; thence east 30 chains; thence north 120 chains; thence west 120 chains, more or less, to Discovery Passage; thence following the shore line of Discovery Passage, in a south-westerly direction, to the point of commencement; and containing 1,000 acres, more or less. Block No. 2. Commencing at a post on the west shore of Discovery Passage, about two miles above Seymour Narrows, thence west 100 chains; thence north 100 chains; thence east 100 chains; more or less, to the shore of Discovery Passage; then following the shore line in a southerly direction to the place of commencement; and containing 1,000 acres, more or less. Block No. 3. Commencing at the north-east corner of Messrs, Haslam & Lees lease (Lot 46) at Salmon River Valley, thence east 270 chains; thence south 640 chains; thence west 240 chains; thence north 225 chains to the south-east corner of said lease; thence along the eastern boundary of the lease 305 chains; thence west 30 chains; thence north 110 chains to the place of commencement, containing 15,690 acres, more or less.

VICTORIA LUMBER & M'F'G. CO.
W. J. MACAULAY,
May 4th, 1889. my7-1m Director.

In the Matter of THE PEOPLE'S STEAM NAVIGATION CO., Limited Liability,
AND
In the Matter of THE WINDING UP ACT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT an order to wind up the business of the said Company was, on the 8th day of May instant, made by the Hon. Mr. Justice Crease, and Mr. John Herbert Turner has been appointed provisional liquidator of the estate and effects of the Company.

DAVIE & POOLEY,
Solicitors for the Petitioner.
Dated Victoria, 10th May, 1889.

In the Matter of THE PEOPLE'S STEAM NAVIGATION CO., Limited Liability,
AND
In the Matter of THE WINDING UP ACT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE creditors, contributories, shareholders or members of the said Company, that an application will be made to a Judge of the Supreme Court at the Supreme Court House, Bastion Square, Victoria, on Wednesday, the 22nd day of May instant, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the appointment of Mr. John Herbert Turner as the sole liquidator of the estate and effects of the said Company.

DAVIE & POOLEY,
Solicitors for the Petitioner.
Dated Victoria, 10th May, 1889.
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H. W. TERNAN & CO.

Assignment for the Benefit of Creditors.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTE 44 Victoria, chapter 12, entitled "An Act to further amend the law of Property and to relieve Trustees," and the Statute 50 Victoria, chapter 2, entitled "An Act respecting Executors, Trustees and Assignees, for the benefit of Creditors."

Notice is hereby given, that all creditors and persons having any claim or demands upon or against the estate of James Byron Silverthorn and Henry Whitfield Ternan, trading as Ternan and Company, general merchants, at Chilliwhack, New Westminster District, B. C., are hereby required to send particulars thereof in writing to the undersigned on or before the 19th day of July, A. D. 1889, after which day the Trustees will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims and demands of which they then shall have had notice, and that they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof distributed to any person or persons of whose debts, claims and demands they shall not then have had notice.

Dated this 18th day of May, A. D. 1889.

EBERTS & TAYLOR,
Solicitors for the Trustees,
A. B. GRAY and ROBERT ERSKINE,
my19 both of Victoria, B. C.

NOTICE.—I hereby give notice that I intend to apply at the next sitting of the Licensing Court, for a license to sell wines, spirits, beer, porter, and other fermented liquors, by retail, in the premises occupied by me as a restaurant and lodging house, and leased by me, situated in Lot 153z, being the third store from the south-west corner of Johnson and Broad streets, and more particularly designated as No. 81 Johnson street. Dated, Victoria, the 3rd day of May, A.D. 1889.—W. G. SUM. 1m

In the Estate of Mrs. S. E. R. Francis, dec'sed

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE above named Estate are hereby required to pay the amount of such indebtedness forthwith to the undersigned; and all persons having claims against the said Estate are also required to send in particulars of their claims to the undersigned on or before noon on Saturday the 29th day of June, 1889. Dated the 20th day of May, 1889.

YATES & JAY,
my21 Solicitors for the Executor.

J. & A. BOSKOWITZ,
WHARF STREET,
Highest Cash Prices Paid for Furs and Deer Skins.

TENDERS.

NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the undersigned up to June 15th at noon, for a two-story brick, business premises, facing the northwest corner of Yates and Douglas streets. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

JNO TEAGUE,
je9-td Architect.

Notice to Contractors.

SEALED TENDERS will be received by the Honourable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, up to noon of Wednesday, 12th June, for the erection of a Central School Building (Brick) upon Government Square, Vancouver.

Plans and specifications can be seen and forms for tender obtained at the office of B. C. Kenway, Esq., Architect, Vancouver, and at the Lands and Works Office, Victoria.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

(S'd), W. S. GORE,
Surveyor-Gen'l.
Lands and Works Dep't,
Victoria, B. C., 27th May, 1889. my28

Asylum for the Insane

TENDERS, endorsed "Lunatic Asylum," for the supply of groceries, clothing, meat, vegetables, etc., for the use of the above Asylum, New Westminster, from the 1st July next to the 30th June, 1890, will be received by this Department, at Victoria, until noon on Tuesday the 18th instant. Lists of the articles required can be seen at the Provincial Secretary's Office, Victoria, and at the Asylum, New Westminster, at which latter place samples can also be inspected.

All supplies to be delivered at the Asylum without extra charge. Security for the due performance of the contract will be required in each case.

JNO. ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary.
Provincial Secretary's Office,
1st June, 1889. je2-td

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED TENDERS will be received by the Honourable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, up to noon of Saturday, 15th inst., for the erection of a

COTTAGE RESIDENCE

on the Central School Reserve, Victoria, and for painting the exterior of the Central School Buildings.

Plans and specifications can be seen and forms for tender obtained at the office of the undersigned.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. S. GORE,
Surveyor-General.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B.C., 5th June, 1889.
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NOTICE.

Tenders for Gaol Supplies

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UP to the 29th June, 1889, for

SUPPLIES
FOR
VICTORIA PROVINCIAL GAOL
—CONSISTING OF—
Bread, Groceries, Clothing, Coal and Coke, Meats, Fish, and Vegetables,
From 1st July, 1889, to 30th June, 1890.

Samples of groceries and clothing may be seen at Victoria Provincial Gaol, Topaz Avenue.

Tenders to state price of wood per cord, and coal per ton of 2,000 lbs. All supplies to be delivered to the Provincial Gaol, Topaz Avenue.

Oatmeal, Brooms, Brushes, and all articles required for use in this Contract, to be of Provincial manufacture as far as practicable. Tenders addressed to

H. B. ROYCRAFT,
Supt. Prov. Police.
Victoria, 5th June, 1889. je6

Notice to Contractors

SEALED TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Honourable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, up to noon of Thursday, 20th instant, for the erection and completion of a

COUNTY COURT BUILDING AT VANCOUVER.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque for a sum equal to five per cent. of the amount of the tender, made payable to the Honourable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works. In the event of a contract being let, the cheque will be retained as part security for the due performance of the work. The cheque will be returned to unsuccessful competitors, but will be forfeited by any bidder who may decline to execute a contract if called upon to do so.

Plans and specifications can be seen and forms for tender obtained at the office of C. Gardiner Johnson, Esq., Deputy Registrar of the County Court, Vancouver, or at the office of the undersigned.

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YOU'LL FIND IT ALWAYS PAYS.

Be happy! Gather, on life's road,
The sweetest flowers you find!
Some pleasures are for you bestowed,
But choose the proper kind.
How fair a face temptation has,
How joyous seem her ways;
Look not therein, but bravely pass—
You'll find it always pays!

Though here on earth, or there above,
Be now that heart we prize,
Remember that a mother's love
Is one that never dies.
So heed the counsel she would give,
That good attend your days;
And let them guide you while you live;
You'll find it always pays!

Honor the aged, as you should,
And give them reverence due:
And "do to others as you would
That they should do to you!"
A kind word here, a good deed there,
Like sunshine casts its rays,
And makes the world more pure and fair:
You'll find it always pays!

Be honest in your dealings all—
In every word you say;
Then you may never fear to fall,
Nor shun the light of day.
Stick to the truth, my little friend
And hold the word that stays'
Begin in youth, and in the end
You'll find it always pays!
—George Birdseye, in Golden Days.

THE ANIMAL KINGDOM.

Passions, Requirements and Emotions Easily Detected by Study.

The physical expressions which the animals employ to manifest their passions, requirements, distresses and emotions, are precisely similar to man's, observes a writer in Forest and Stream. They caress with their lips and limbs, show resentment by facial distortion, bites and kicks, and fear by a tremor; they leap with joy, loll with thirst, lag with fatigue, and attack for revenge and reprisal. Even fishes, with their poor deficient bodies, are able to manifest many mental operations in a manner intelligible to man as well as to each other. There is no end to authenticated instances of animal sagacity, indicating premeditation, plan, purpose, sense of duty, prudence, gratitude, method, judgment. Animals memorize. They cherish malice, they dream in their sleep, they can count, they have a sense of injustice, a consciousness of error, and notions of forgiveness and reparation. I have seen a brute of a man requite the clumsy caress of his horse by a thumping blow on the nose. His supreme intelligence did not comprehend the animal's action, forsooth. Now some men get vexed if they are not readily understood. Did the horse show temper—this noble animal whom Job represents as imbued with the spirit of the tempest! Did he even resent the outrage? Not by retaliation, although he plainly indicated his keen sense of this indignity. What may we suppose his emotions to have been at treatment so regardless and unprovoked! Yet he presently forgave all. Do not say that he forgot, for at all times afterward he shrank with apprehension when his master approached. Oh! the gentleness, forbearance and long-suffering of brutes, who ofttimes grieve in silence—speechless and unable to utter protest or complaint.

Animals meditate. Dogs have been seen to sit in a fit of abstraction, so that no one could engage their attention, and presently start off with an impetus which showed there was a mental impulse behind it. That was a keen sense of finesse displayed by the Newfoundland dog at a seaside resort when he pushed little children off the pier so that he could jump in magnanimously to the rescue, and thereby obtain the reward of a handful of candy which he anticipated the grateful parents would bestow. He repeated the trick so often that he fell into suspicion and disgrace, but his method showed not only a conception of the efficacy of a virtuous act and its logical recompense, but the advantage of deception when successfully practiced. A crow which I know of shammed hunger habitually, so as to obtain more food, which he invariably carried off and hid in a wall, and then came back for more. In this way he accumulated large hoards of provender. A certain Java sparrow was able to distinguish the click of its master's latch-key in the hall door from any other person's, and flew to meet him with demonstrations of joy as soon as he entered the house. He never made a mistake. A sagacious mastiff always pulled the door-bell when he desired to enter. A parrot in New Orleans seemed to answer questions categorically, and recognized different persons, calling them by name. The intelligence of insects is, perhaps, even more wonderful. Fishes exhibit remarkable sagacity, which has been made the theme of writers for two thousand years.

THE STAGE VILLAIN.

An Excellent Portrait of a Long-Suffering But Patient Stage Hero.

A writer in the London Playgoer describes the stage villain as a gentleman who wears a clean color and smokes a cigarette; that is how we know he is a villain. In real life it is difficult to tell a villain from an honest man, and this gives rise to mistakes; but on the stage villains wear clean collars and smoke cigarettes, and thus all fear of blunder is avoided. He has no power of repartee. The good people in the play say rude and insulting things to him, but he never can answer them—can never think of any thing clever to say in return. "Ha, ha, wait till Monday week," is the most brilliant retort that he can make, and he has to get into a corner by himself to think of even that. His career is always easy and prosperous to within a minute of the end of each act. Then he gets suddenly let in by the comic man. It always happens so. Yet the villain is intensely surprised each time. He never seems to learn any thing from experience. A few years ago he used to be blessed with a hopeful and philosophical temperament, which enabled him to bear up under these constantly recurring disappointments. It was "no matter," he would say. Crushed for the moment, though he might be, his buoyant heart never lost courage. He had a simple, child-like faith in Providence. "A time will come," he would remark, and this idea consoled him. Of late, however, this trusting hopefulness appears to have forsaken him. We are sorry for this; we always regarded it as one of the finest traits in his character. His love for the heroine is sublime in its steadfastness. Nothing can alter his affection. She hates him, and insults him to an extent that is unladylike. Every time he attempts to explain his devotion to her the hero comes in and knocks him down, or the comic man catches him making love to her and tells the "villagers" or the "guests," and they come round and nag him. We should think that the villain must grow to positively dislike the comic men before the piece is over. Notwithstanding all this he still hankers after her and swears she shall be his. He is not a bad looking fellow, and from what we know of the market, we should say there are plenty of other girls who would jump at him; yet, for sake of settling down with this dismal young female for his wife, he is prepared to go through a laborious and exhausting course of crime and to be bullied and insulted by every one he meets. His love sustains him under it all. He robs and forges and cheats and lies and murders and arsons. If there were any other crimes he could commit to win her love he would, for her sweet sake, commit them cheerfully. But he doesn't know any others and she still does not love him, and what is he to do?

Postal Law Oddities.

There is a good deal of truth in the ruminations of a paper which says: It is rather an odd thing that if you paste a printed slip on a postal card the Government will charge the receiver letter postage; if the same matter is printed directly on the card nothing extra is demanded. The same slip which if pasted on a postal card would be charged extra for, may be put into an unsealed envelope and it will then go at printed matter rates, or the whole paper from which the clipping is taken may be sent, containing the article marked, at a much less rate than the Government would charge for the same article attached to the card. That is, the Government would rather carry four ounces for a cent than the fourfifths of an ounce for the same money.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria

THE PEACE RIVER LANDS EXCHANGE.

To THE EDITOR—I have read my last epistle to you with the object of discovering if I had laid myself open to your charge of descending from argument to scolding—the last refuge of a weak and baffled person. It may be due to mental obtuseness, but I am unable to find a single word that, in my opinion, merits your censure. I have endeavored to conduct my side of the argument in a fair and temperate spirit, notwithstanding that I have had to submit to the exasperating humiliation, as a consistent supporter of the Ministry, of being told by you that they are actually engaged in altering the terms of union in violation of the Constiution. Even when you distorted and changed (with the apparent intention of heaping ridicule on me) my reference to the Senate committee's report, so as to make it seem that I had said that the whole of the Peace River valley was comprised in the lands which (you say) the Government is now trying to pass over to the Dominion Government, I did not lose my temper. I mildly remonstrated with you for your misconstruction, which I still trust was not willful. I suppose the absurdity of your position has not yet dawned upon you. I live in hope that when you become clothed and in your right mind you will try and reach higher and better ground on which to base your arguments. The picture you draw of the Dominion Government in your paper yesterday is not a pleasant one. On the contrary, it is decidedly repugnant. You paint it as grasping and extortionate. If my recollection serves me aright, when the last federal election was on you applied pigments of the liveliest and brightest hues when speaking of the Ottawa ministry. You laid the paint on pretty thickly, too. One or two coats would not suffice, so you daubed on half-a-dozen; in your impatience, not waiting for one to dry or set before you plastered on another. Then, when you wanted to return members to support Sir John Macdonald, his government was all things that are nice. Now that you want to give away a vast tract of land to the same Sir John Macdonald, he is extortionate and difficult to deal with. Pray, sir, from what source, in these latter days, have you drawn so contemptible an opinion of the powers that be at Ottawa? And if your expressed opinion is really your belief, why do you advocate any further concessions to them? Suppose that the scheme to give away Peace River lands be carried out, and that base and precious metals should be found side by side in the ceded tract as they are found in the railway belt, would not the complications you foreshadow arise in the Peace River tract as well as the railway belt? In spite of Mr. Dewdney's positive assertion that there would be no difficulty in assimilating the mining laws of the two governments, you continue to insist that difficulties will arise, and even insinuate that Mr. Dewdney is not in accord on this point with the government of which he is a member. In point of fact, you seem to deem it the chief aim of your existence to impress the Dominion Government with the idea that they are a deeply injured party, and that they ought to throw every possible obstacle in the way of the working of the minerals in the belt unless their new and outrageous demand is complied with. How you can reconcile your present course with your duty to the public I cannot conceive. Happily, the decision of the Privy Council, by extending the provincial mining laws over the railway belt, has placed it out of the power of the Dominion Government to interpose difficulties. Mr. Dewdney saw and recognized this. How unfortunate that you cannot see to recognize it, too! If the Provincial government, armed with the decision of the Privy Council, cannot administer the mining laws, what can they administer? Your remarks leave the public to infer that the local ministers are incapable of conducting the affairs of the country. Need I again point out that you are advising the government to act in violation of the constitution? That nowhere in "May," "Bourinot," "Hallam," or "Todd," our greatest constitutional authorities, can a precedent be found for the course you tell the country the government have already adopted? "You dig a pit for your friend" when you counsel the ministry to resort to treasonable practices and convey the lands in spite of public opinion and in violation of the constitutional prerogatives of the House. THE ATTEMPT IS AS BAD AS THE CRIME; and the penalty will not be mitigated by your childlike excuse that because only one member rose to oppose the scheme, (when for others to have done so would have caused Mr. Speaker to intervene) the government is granted carte blanche to follow its own inclination. Too late, sir, perhaps, you will awaken to a realizing sense of the grave responsibility you are forcing on the government at a most inopportune time. As a friend of the government I would warn them that they are treading on unsafe ground; and that should they adopt your counsel sooner or later they will be overwhelmed. You will call me an alarmist. So I am, in the sense of the man who rode through a peaceful Pennsylvania valley, a few days ago, crying to the inhabitants as he sped by, "To the hills! Fly for your lives!" So I say to the government, "public feeling is opposed to the give away policy. Retrace your steps while yet there is time."

D. W. HIGGINS.

P. S.—I enclose herewith a copy of the Senate Committee's report on the Peace River valley, in the hope that you will read and digest its contents and make better and fairer use of it than you did of my letter which contained a reference to the statistics it contains.

D. W. H.

MISCELLANEOUS.

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Psoriasis 8 years, Head, arms and breast a solid scab. Back covered with sores. Best doctors and medicines fail. Cured by Cuticura Remedies at a cost of $3.75.

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Removal of Thistles!

Owners, or their Agents, of of property within the City Limits are hereby notified to remove Thistles which may be growing upon their lots; in default of so doing the Thistle By-Law will be enforced.

By order,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

City Hall, June 6th, 1889. je7

MUNICIPAL.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons (excepting those who pay annually or semi-annually) who are three months in arrears for water on the 30th June proximo, will have their water supply turned off

By order,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

City Clerk's Office,
May 30th, 1889. my31

S. HYAMS, OPTICIAN, 27 FORT ST., near Government street. Received, a consignment of Spectacles and Eye Glasses to sell at 25c. and 50c. pair. Every Glass guaranteed to suit the sight. ☞ Beware of Pedlers and irresponsible persons representing themselves as my Agents, they will impose on you and ruin your sight. sep27-1yr

MISCELLANEOUS.

THE STANDARD LIFE.

At the 63rd Annual General Meeting of the Standard Life Assurance Company, held at Edinburgh on Tuesday, the 23rd of April, 1889, the following results for the year ended 15th November, 1888, were reported:

2379 new proposals for life assurance were received during the year for	$ 9,123,554 60
2072 policies were issued, assuring	7,282,295 07
The total existing assurances in force at 15th November, 1888, amounted to	101,258,149 14
Of which was re-assured with other offices	6,882,060 00
The claims by death or matured endowments which arose during the year amounted, including bonus additions, to	2,867,352 40
The annual revenue amounted at 15th November, 1888, to	4,525,703 13
The accumulated funds at same date amounted to	34,019,523 27
Being an increase during the year of	887,470 73

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NOTICES.

NOTICE

Is hereby given that all communications in respect to matters affecting the Department of Indian Affairs, should be addressed to the Honorable E. Dewdney as Superintendent General of Indian Affairs, and not as Minister of the Interior, or to the undersigned. All Officers of the Department should address their official letters to the undersigned.

L. VANKOUGHNET,
Deputy Superintendent-General of Indian Affairs.

Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, 11th May, 1889, my23-13t

TABLE

Showing the Dates and Places of Courts of Assize, Nisi Prius, and Oyer and Terminer, for the Year 1889.

SPRING ASSIZES.

[On Vancouver Island.]

Victoria.....Monday ....20th May.
Nanaimo.....Tuesday ....4th June.

[On Mainland.]

New Westminster..Wednesday..1st May.
Kamloops.....Monday ... 3rd June.
Clinton.....Monday....10th June.

FALL ASSIZES.

[On Mainland.]

Richfield.....Monday ....9th Sept.
Clinton.....Wednesday..25th Sept.
Kamloops.....Monday ....7th Oct.
Lytton.....Monday ....14th Oct.
New Westminster..Wednesday..13th Nov.

[On Vancouver Island.]

Victoria.....Monday ....25th Nov.
Nanaimo.....Tuesday ....3rd Dec.
ap12-1mo

EDUCATION BRANCH
OF THE PROV'L SECRETARY'S DEPT,
Victoria, May 7th, 1889.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Annual Examination of candidates for certificates of qualification to teach in the Public Schools of the Province will be held as follows, commencing on Monday, July 8th, at 10 a. m.:—

In Victoria.....Legislative Hall.
In Kamloops..Public School Building.

Each applicant must forward a notice, thirty days before the examination, stating the class and grade of certificate for which he will be a candidate, and the place at which he will attend.

S. D. POPE,
my10-1m Supt. of Education.

NOTICE.

SITTINGS of the County Court of Cariboo will be held at—

Lillooet.....Thursday, 23rd May. 1889
Clinton.....Saturday, 8th June, "
150-Mile House...Thursday, 27th June, "
Soda Creek.....Saturday, 29th June, "
Quesnellemouth..Tuesday.. 2nd July, "
Richfield.....Friday ... 5th July, "

By Command,
JNO. ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
24th April, 1889. ap26-2m

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FOREIGN.

REGISTERED THE 13TH DAY OF March, 1889. Certificate of Registration.—This is to certify that I have this day registered "The Pacific Bullion Mining Company," foreign, under the "Companies Act."

The object for which the said Company is formed is for the purpose of mining, milling, smelting and working ores and minerals contained in the mines known as the Spokane and Trinket, situated in the West Kootenai Mining District, formerly known as the Warm Spring Mining District near Kootenai Lake, British Columbia, and such other mines as the Company may hereafter acquire.

The amount of capital stock of the said Company is one million dollars, divided into one million shares of the par value of one dollar each, and said stock to be unassessable.

The time of the existence of the said Company is fifty years.

The place of business of the said Company is located at Nelson Warm Springs, Lower Kootenai Mining District, British Columbia.

In testimony whereof I have hereto set my hand, and affixed my seal of office, this 13th day of March, 1889, at the City of Victoria, Province of British Columbia.

CHAS. JAS. LEGGATT,
Registrar of Joint Stock Companies,
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RAILWAYS.

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TIME TABLE No. 10,

To take effect at 8.20 a.m. on Saturday, March 30, 1889. Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

GOING SOUTH. READ UP.	No. 1 Passenger Daily.	No. 3 Passenger Saturdays & Sundays.	No. 5. Passenger Saturdays only.	STATIONS.	No. 2 Passenger Daily.	No. 4 Passenger Saturdays & Sundays.	No. 6 Passenger Saturdays only.	GOING NORTH. READ DOWN.
	Ar 1.01 P.M	Ar 7.00	P.M. Ar 3.00	VICTORIA	De 8.20 A.M	De 3.32 P.M	P.M. De 10.30	
	" 1.00	" 6.56	" 2.55	RUSSELL'S	" 8.24	" 3.36	" 7.16	
	" 12.50	" 6.46	" 2.45	ESQUIMALT	" 8.31	" 3.46	" 7.31	
	" 12.36 P.M	" 6.32 P.M	" 2.31 P.M	GOLDSTREAM	" 8.45	" 4.00	" 7.45	
	" 11.28	" 5.36	" 1.36	SHAWNIGAN LK	" 9.36	" 4.51	" 8.36	
	" 11.16	" 5.16	" 1.16	COBBLE HILL	" 9.56	" 5.11	" 8.56	
	" 10.59	" 5.01	" 1.01	McPHERSON'S	" 10.09	" 5.24	" 9.09	
	" 10.47	" 4.51	" 12.51	KOKSILAH	" 10.19	" 5.34	" 9.19	
	" 10.32	" 4.36	" 12.36	DUNCANS	" 10.32	" 5.46	" 9.32	
	De 10.06	" 4.14	" 12.14	SOMENOS	" 10.52	" 5.56	" 9.52	
	Ar 8.55	" 3.16	De 11.00 A.M	CHEMAINUS	De 11.18	" 6.18	De 10.39	
	De 8.40 A.M	De 3.01 P.M	Ar 10.45	NANAIMO	Ar 12.59 P.M	" 7.16	Ar 10.45	
				WELLINGTON	De 12.21 P.M	" 7.31		
					Ar 12.41 P.M	Ar 7.51		

On Saturdays and Sundays

Return Tickets will be issued between all points for a single fare, good for return Monday.

Return Tickets for one and a half ordinary fare may be purchased daily to all points, good for three days, including day of issue.

No Return Tickets issued for a Single Fare, where such fare is twenty-five cents. Through rates between Victoria & Comox.

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Asst. Gen'l Frt & Pass. Ag't,
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BETWEEN
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The following schedule for the O. R. & N. Co.'s Steamers will be in effect until further notice:—

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Daily except Sunday.	Daily except Sunday.
Lv Tacoma - 7:00 a.m	Lv Victoria - 6:00 a.m
Ar Seattle - 9:15 a.m	Ar Pt. Town'd 9:15 a.m
Lv Seattle - 9:45 a.m	Lv Pt. Town'd 10:00 a.m
Ar Pt. Town'd 11:15 p.m	Ar Seattle - 1:30 p.m
Lv Pt. Town'd 2:00 p.m	Lv Seattle - 6:45 p.m
Ar Victoria 5:30 p.m	Ar Tacoma, - 9:00 p.m

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Consignees' Notice!

BARQUE
WANLOCK,
CAPT. COOPER,
FROM LONDON

THIS VESSEL will discharge cargo at our wharf on Monday, 3rd June and following days.

Consignees are requested to present bills of lading at the office of the undersigned, pay freight and receive delivery orders for their goods.

All goods remaining on the wharf after 5 p. m., each day, and while on the wharf, will be at the risk of the consignees thereof, respectively, and may be stored at their expense.

WELCH, RITHET & CO.,
Victoria, Consignees of Vessel.
3d June, 1889. je4-1w

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On and after May 29,

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CALLING AT WAY PORTS:

Lv Victoria for Nanaimo Wed'sday, 7.00 a.m
" Nanaimo " Comox, Thursday, 7.00 "
" Comox " Nanaimo, Friday, 7.00 "
" Nanaimo " Victoria, Saturday, 7.00 "

For freight or passage apply on board. feb5

Canadian Pacific
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Time Table No. 11 Takes Effect March 23, 1889.

Vancouver Route:
Victoria to Vancouver—Daily, except Monday, at 2 o'clock, a m.
Vancouver to Victoria—Daily, except Monday, at 14:30 o'clock, or on arrival of C. P. R. No. 1 train.

New Westminster Route:
LEAVE VICTORIA for New Westminster, Ladner's and Lulu Island—Sunday at 23 o'clock, Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock. (Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C. P. R train No. 2, going east Monday.
For Plumper Pass—Wednesday and Friday, at 7 o'clock.
For Moresby Island—Friday at 7 o'clock.
LEAVE NEW WESTMINSTER for Victoria—Monday at 14:30 o'clock; Thursday at Saturday at 7 o'clock.
For Plumper Pass—Saturday at 7 o'clock.

Fraser River Route:
Steamers leave New Westminster for Hope and Way Landings every Wednesday.
For CHILLIWHACK and Way Landings every Monday and Saturday at 7 o'clock, during river navigation.

Northern Route:
Steamship SARDONYX will leave for Port Simpson and intermediate ports on the FIRST and FIFTEENTH of each month. When sufficient inducements offer will extend trips to West Coast points and Queen Charlotte Islands.

Barclay Sound Route:
Steamer MAUDE leaves Victoria for Alberni and Sound Ports when sufficient inducements offer.
The Company reserves the right of changing this Time Table without notification. Steamers leave by standard time.
JOHN IRVING, Manager.
G. A. CARLETON, General Agent,
March 21st jy25

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The Colonist.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 12, 1889.

PASSENGERS.

Per Str. R P Rithet, from Westminster Mr and Mrs. Pelham, Miss Wadhams, E A Wadhams, Capt Bole, R P Rithet, T C Clark, U Nelson, N Reidt, R Harvey, McGinnis, F B Pemberton, J Campbell, R Norton, Carmichael.

Per Str. Islander, from Vancouver.—Mrs Connors, C Laures, W C Haywood, J B Winslow, Mrs Hickorson, W E Taylor, T B Robertson, B Clay, J Lewell, L O'Neil, L E Lyons, F C Gamble, L H Jabobe, Mrs Dee, M Cocault, H W Schurtz, L R Thompson, M Bennett, Miss Hickorson, Miss Fursunais, W Fairburn, Geo Linwood, J Cartmol, H N Rich, R G Tatlow, Miss Colfield, A Ruckle, W D Ferris, G Haughton, A J Clark, Jas Orr, M P P, Mrs Lonveldt, Master Nicholson, M Baker, L Clay, M Lumly, Supt H Roycroft, Miss Rich, J M Bowell, L Norvans, W Dee, L R Ropp, E V Bodwell

P[ass]. T. J. Potter, from the Sound.—C A[llen]y, J C Black, S W Reed and wife, J C[arro]ls, G L Mathews and wife, Miss Duf[fy] Eli Perkins and wife, W Drummond and wife, W Deal, R Cash, John Peterson, Miss Spaulding, L Rothchild and wife, L Jones, E Clark, G C Boswell, Chas Chave, F Faust, I Bechtel, W Bryant, R M Thompson, A Whitcomb, J H Faulkner, F C Thompson, W F Slocum, R H Murphy, O C Hollister, W B Beckham and wife, J H Stewart, Miss Glenn, C C Warren and wife, S Soulc, L Y Gardner, Mrs Hoyt and daughter, W T Blair, James McCann, T Irwin, O Anderson, H Clark, R W Rossiter, J Huffman, F P. Scott, Chinaman, Mrs Lotridge, Jesse Martin, O Klocker, B Johnston, G W Downs, F E Sutton, H S Butterfield and wife, M Bailey, G A Roudy and wife, Miss Cooper, J Woods, G Kennedy, T J Redfield, Mrs Russell, A R Smith, M Johnson, Chas Goetzer, Miss Hopkins, R D Ferguson, T Scotts, J Oliver, W H Call, four Italians.

CONSIGNEES.

Per Str. Islander, from Vancouver.—M W Waitt, Ames Holden, B Williams, E J Prior, G L Simpson, H Bayley, J C Devlin, J Weiler, Miss M Cox, Register-General, Spratt & Co. T N Hibben, W C J Wilson, J H Todd, A A Aaronson, C Strauss, E J Salmon, G F Dowell & Co, H Noble, J H Bennett, Lenz & Leiser, R Mc[K]ay & Co, S Leiser, S L Kelly, T Earle, W Taylor, F C McNulty, Brenton, Gillis & Co, D Spencer, G H Maynard, Hall Bros, J Fullerton, J H Todd, G L Marvin, Bishop Caledonia, S J Pitts, T S Fletcher, T B Pearson, W R McIntosh, W O'Reilly.

Per Str. R P Rithet, from Westminster. T G Moody, Ames, Holden & Co, G A Carleton, Mrs J Caynes, Dominion Exp Co, Spratt & Gray, A Iron Wks, R P Rithet, J T Papst, W & J Wilson, R Baker & Son, J Wrigglesworth, C P R Co, Welsh, Rithet & Co.

Per Str. T. J. Potter, from the Sound. M W Waitt & Co, H M Peters, Matthews, Richards & Co, P McQuade, Crane Bros Mfg Co.

MARRIED.

Rich—Green.—On the 10th inst., at All Saints' Church, Trenant, by the Rev. C. Croucher, H. N. Rich, of Ladner's Landing, to Lydia Mary (May), third daughter of Chas. F. Green, Esq., of Greencroft, B. C.

DIED.

Macdonald.—At St. Joseph's Hospital, on Sunday morning, of dropsy, John Stuart Macdonald, late Peruvian Consul at Portland, Oregon, aged 50 years.

The funeral will take place to-day at 2:30 a. m. from C. Hayward's undertaking rooms, and at 9 o'clock from St. Andrew's Cathedral, View street.

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One of the reasons why *Scott's Emulsion* has such a large sale is, because it is the best. Dr. W. H. Cameron, Halifax, N. S., says: "I have prescribed *Scott's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil, with Hypophosphites*, for the past two years, and found it more agreeable to the stomach and have better results from its use than any other preparation of the kind I have ever used." Sold by all Druggists, 50c. and $1.00.

Nerve Tortured.

"I suffered with neuralgia and obtained no relief until I used Hagyard's Yellow Oil. Since then I have also found it an invaluable remedy for all painful burns and cuts, rheumatism and sore throat." Mrs. F. Cameron, 137 Richmond Street West, Toronto, Ont. s-w-f

Parties requiring Furniture of the latest designs in either English or American styles, will find it to their advantage to call on J. Seihl, 68 Government street. He has facilities for manufacturing superior to any other establishment in the province. Hardwood mantels, overmantels, office and bar fittings made to order.

A Confectioner's Confidence.

"I can plainly state that I can find nothing better than Hagyard's Yellow Oil. I have rheumatism occasionally, and Yellow Oil does me great good. You can use my name if you wish." Yours truly, H. Dickinson, confectioner, St. Thomas, Ont. s-w-f

Annexation, reciprocity, commercial union, and the Jesuit bill are bothering Canadians a good deal more than anything we know of. But as long as business keeps increasing with us in the way it has the last year, we will remain right here and be happy. Hastie and Lockhart have the finest bedroom suites and sideboards for the least money ever exhibited in Victoria.

Gives Instant Relief.

"I have been troubled with asthma and a bad cough for years. I get nothing to help me like Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam and would recommend it to others as it gives instant relief." Extract from letter from Walter McAuley, Ventnor, Ont. s-w

Carpenter and Gardening Tools a Cheapside.

Jacta Est Alea.

Here lies a sceptic long in doubt
If Daley's was the place to buy or not;
A trial ends his doubtfulness at last,
Convinced,—but oh! the bargains lost!

Don't fail to call at Daley's, 111 Government street, and get ocular demonstration of the good value and reasonable prices of their Stationery, Brushware, Combs and Cutlery.

A very complete assortment of grate and stove ornaments just received by T. N. Hibben & Co.

An additional supply of Lawn Tennis Racquets just received by T. N. Hibben & Co.

We have now a larger stock of Staple Stationery, such as wrapping, note, letter, cap, and flat papers, of almost all sizes and qualities. T. N. Hibben & Co.

In 10 Days Time.

"Was troubled with headache, bad blood and loss of appetite, and tried all sorts of medicines without success. I then tried one bottle of Burdock Blood Bitters and found relief in 10 days." A. J. Meindlo, Mattawa, Ont. s-w-f

LOCAL AND PROVINCIAL.

Real Estate.

Messrs. Bourchier & Higgins yesterday disposed of three Beacon Hill lots. There are very few choice lots in the syndicate ground left, and intending purchasers would do well to inspect them.

The Building Societies.

An appropriation of the Victoria Building Society will be drawn for this evening at Harmony Hall. It is to be hoped that every member of the society will be present. On Friday evening an appropriation of the Vancouver Island Building Society is to be drawn for.

Funeral This Morning.

The funeral of the late John Stuart Macdonald, of Portland, will take place this morning, leaving the funeral establishment of Mr. Charles Hayward at 8:30 o'clock and St. Andrew's pro-cathedral at 9. The deceased was the Peruvian Consul at Portland at the time of his death.

The Usual Verdict.

An inquest into the cause of death of Chan Ah Heung was held at the Provincial jail yesterday at 11 o'clock by Dr. William Jackson, coroner. The jury found that the Chinaman came to his death by strangulation by his own hand, and completely exonerated the jail officials from any blame.

Sale of Fancy Work.

The ladies of the R. E. Church will hold a sale of fancy work at Humboldt Hall in a few days. Mrs. W. R. Higgins, president, and Miss Macdonald, secretary, of the society, are calling the young ladies together, and they will put forth their best endeavors to make the affair a success. A strawberry festival will be held in the evening.

Port Angeles.

Mr. Frank Campbell has on view at his famous corner a pencil sketch of the thriving town of Port Angeles, across the straits. The sketch was made by Pilot John Thompson, who by his long experience knows every inch of the coast. He has been very exact in his representation, and accompanying the picture is a complete list of the various localities of the town.

A Mineral Spring.

The Oyster Harbor Coal Co. while boring for coal near Oyster Bay last week, struck a spring of mineral water at a depth of 300 feet. The spring throws a good volume of water, possessing a mineral taste suggestive of iron. The stream when first struck sprang up into the air about thirty feet and was still flowing with unabated vigor on Sunday. Mayor Bate brought a bottle of the water to Nanaimo and will have it analyzed.

Drowning Accident.

George Freen, who recently arrived at Nanaimo from Vancouver, went bathing with a companion in Fish-hook Lake, Cedar District, on Sunday afternoon, and while wading into the lake he stepped off a ledge into deep water and was drowned. The young man, who was aged about 23 years, was unable to swim, and although his companion reached him a stick, he sank in a few minutes. The body was recovered on Monday morning and brought to Nanaimo, where it was interred after an inquest was held.

Paris Exhibition.

Mr. Chas. Lombard, yesterday received by mail a handsome lithographic bird's-eye view of the grounds and buildings of the great exhibition at Paris, including the Eiffel tower. The coloring of the picture is particularly good, and gives a most vivid idea of the exact appearance of those wonderful structures in the Champ de Mars. M. Leon Curtat, of Paris, (a former respected resident of Victoria) sent the picture, which will be on view in Messrs. Lombard & Co's window today.

C. M. Pyke's Halifax Wife.

A Halifax despatch of the 2nd inst. says: "In the divorce court to-day Judge James granted an absolute divorce to Ella M. Pyke from C. M. Pyke, an actor, now living in San Francisco, on the ground of desertion and adultery. The evidence of Mabel Kearns, a San Francisco girl, 21 years old, which was taken by commission, was decidedly spicy. Pyke has been playing at the Tivoli theatre in San Francisco, and at The Victoria theatre, Victoria, B.C., lately. The petitioner, who is a Halifax lady, married him here in 1871."

Concert and Recital.

Calvary Baptist Church, the pretty little church on the hill, held an appreciative audience last evening, the occasion being a concert and organ recital. Every seat was taken, and the programme was faithfully carried out. The platform was a little bower of foliage and flowers, the floral decorations lending a very bright and attractive appearance to the church. Prof. Sharpe presided at the new organ—an Estey—and under his skillful hands the instrument proved to be one of very superior tone and volume. The programme consisted of fifteen gems of vocal and instrumental music, and was furnished by the members of the choir, assisted by Prof. Sharpe, Mr. J. G. Brown and Mr. C. H. Kent.

Boating Parties.

Boating parties in the moonlight are all the rage just now. The Young People's Association of the Pandora Street Methodist Church amused themselves up the Arm on Monday evening, and the members of Perseverance Lodge I. O. G. T. will "recreate" at Sailor Bay to-night. The story is told of one charming young couple who went up to the Gorge with the young people on Monday night, but who preferring their own company and their own sweet conversation to the noise and merriment of the madding crowd managed to get left behind on the return trip. Of course the walk home in the still moonlight was very unpleasant, but the young people bore it with a martyrdom worthy of emulation.

Suicide at Nanaimo.

James Malcolm, a resident of Nanaimo, suicided on Sunday evening by shooting himself through the chest with a revolver. Deceased had been on a protracted spree, and on Sunday morning he became so quarrelsome that his family left the house. He procured a revolver and commenced shooting around the house while lying on his bed. His father and brother, after hearing four shots, returned. W. Malcolm noticed a smell of something burning and opening the door of his brother's room, saw the quilt on fire. He dragged the quilt off the bed, and noticed that his brother was dead, shot through the chest. Deceased was 23 years of age and married, though separated from his wife.

The Minstrels.

To-morrow night the Johnson and Slavin minstrels will give a performance in The Victoria. They are heralded by a host of good words. The Philadelphia Press says: "Johnson & Slavin's minstrels are so much better than all of their kind seen here before that they may be classed as a new species. The grotesque, which with broad horseplay usually predominates, is here so carefully refined that it flavors and renders pungent the performance, and leaves ample room for the graceful and artistic, the melodious and the beautiful. Rarely has an audience been better entertained, and with more unbroken continuance from beginning to end. The singing was excellent, the music new, the solo voices remarkably good and cultivated, the costumes of notable variety and exceeding richness, and the entire entertainment of a most praiseworthy quality."

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Police News.

In the provincial court yesterday, Robt. Ward, J. P., presiding, Charley, a West Coast Indian, was fined $10 with $4.50 costs for being found drunk on a reservation. He paid his fine. There was another blank calendar at the city police court.

The Ward Monitors.

The following young ladies' appointed monitors of the four ward schools at the last meeting of the school board, have been assigned to the following positions: Miss Lorimer, James Bay school; Miss Kermode, Rock Bay school; Miss Fawcett, Spring Ridge school; Miss Withrow, Hillside school.

The Boscowitz-Warren Case.

The long-pending Boscowitz-Warren case was brought to a close in the Supreme Court yesterday, the jury retiring to consider their verdict at 5:30 p. m. After being out some time they returned with a verdict that there was no sale of the steamer to Mr. Warren in February, 1886. This verdict practically decides the suit in favor of Mr. Boscowitz.

The Sidewalk Nuisance.

A pedestrian on Chatham street, between Blanchard and Quadra, met with a serious fall yesterday morning owing to the very ricketty sidewalk. It is at present in a fit condition to wreck life or limb, and if left like it is for many days longer, it may cost the city a much heavier bill in the shape of damages than the necessary repairs would amount to.

Great Indian Gathering.

Bishop Sillitoe left for Lytton on the Atlantic express Monday afternoon to be present at a large meeting of Indians at Treatannie, which takes place this week. Treatannie is about 15 miles inland from Lytton, and is a headquarters for Indian gatherings. Over 2,000 Indians will assemble there to be instructed by the bishop; some will be confirmed and many children will be baptized. —Columbian.

The Caledonia Picnic.

On the 4th of July the Scotchmen of Victoria will as usual come to the front with their annual picnic, which is always the principal out-door event of the year, and which this year, so say the committee who have the management in hand, will eclipse all former gatherings. The Scotchmen never do things by halves, and the picnic this coming fourth will be one long to be remembered by young and old, married and single.

Tascott.

The latest intelligence about the Chicago murderer and fugitive is that he is in Canton, China. The person who has disclosed his hiding place is a woman who accompanied him to this coast. She says that at Vancouver Tascott was approached by a detective who examined him thoroughly on suspicion of being the murderer, and that the detective, with a printed description in his hand, failed to recognize him.

A Grasshopper Plague.

Mr. Joseph Guichon, of Nicola valley, arrived at Westminster from the interior on Sunday, and brings the intelligence that the grasshopper plague is likely to prove very disastrous this year. The grasshoppers are appearing in millions and though young and only commencing to fly, have done a great amount of damage. It is thought they will eat up every green thing in the valley, and stockraisers and farmers are becoming very anxious.

A Northern Gale.

The steamer R. P. Rithet arrived from Westminster at 7 o'clock last evening, having been delayed by a heavy gale from the north. Leaving Victoria at 11 p. m. on Sunday, the steamer arrived at Plumper's Pass at 3 o'clock on Monday morning. She landed her passengers and passed on into the gulf, where very heavy weather was met with, delaying her so long that it was not until 4 in the afternoon that she passed the Sand Heads, and finally arrived at the Royal City on Monday night. The wind on the river was blowing a little hurricane, the fiercest known in many months.

"Mary Stuart."

In Schiller's great historical play of "Mary Stuart" the Modjeska company scored another triumph last night. The house was filled to the roof, and the appreciation of the audience was frequently shown in tears that were a better recognition of the tragic ability of Modjeska than noisy applause could have been. Every member of the cast filled the part assigned to him or her with credit, and no fault whatever could possibly be found with the play or the manner of its presentation. The meeting of the two queens, in the third act, was one of the strongest pieces of acting ever seen on the Victoria stage, and it was thoroughly appreciated. Modjeska was during the evening called twice before the curtain, and was again honored by a call after it had fallen for the last time.

ELI PERKINS

Tells Something of What His Lecture Will Be Like.

Melville D. Landon, better known as Eli Perkins the humorist, arrived at the Driard last night. He came from San Francisco and Portland and he goes from Victoria to Winnipeg, Ottawa and Montreal, stopping one night at Calgary, where he with his wife is to be entertained by Sir Lester Kaye. When asked about his lecture to-night, Mr. Perkins said:

"My talk will illustrate our American way of entertaining an audience. It will be full of a new philosophy of wit and humor, perfectly orthodox and as pure as a maiden's dream. I shall not make fun of good things. I shall assault the devil so strong that you will see your clergyman standing up all over the hall begging me with tears in their eyes to give the devil one more chance."

"Will you do it?" asked the reporter.

"Not unless I am requested to do so by the clergymen who have their families to support."

"When I come to ridicule," continued Mr. Perkins, "I will illustrate the fallacy of the agnostics, and explain Ingersoll's fallacy of ridicule. I will kill errors with satire and will separate wit and humor so distinctly that the audience can see both and write both. Then I will illustrate the typical American anecdotes, such anecdotes as Secretary Blaine and Chauncey Depew told to the Prince of Wales in Hombourg.'

"Do you see a good deal of wit and humor in your travels?"

"Yes, it is constantly occurring. The other day at Tacoma a pretty waiter girl was waiting on a table full of commercial travellers. The boys were all joking her for she was awfully pretty and as clever as pretty. During desert one handsome commercial man smiled at her and asked:

"What is your name, pretty one?"

"My name is Pearl, sir," she said gravely.

"Oh, that is a very pretty name—a very pretty name. Are you the Pearl of great price?"

"Oh, no," said the girl with mock sadness, "I'm not the pearl of great price; I'm the Pearl before swine!"

Berlin, June 10.—The Duke of Edinburgh arrived in Berlin this morning and was met at the station by the Kaiser.

SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

BASEBALL.

The printers composing The Colonist news room staff have challenged their brethren of the job, label and litho. departments to a game of baseball, for glory only. The challenge has been accepted, and the comps will "chase" the leather on Beacon Hill at three o'clock on Saturday afternoon. Both of the athletic aggregations are in good "form," printers as a "rule" are, although the newsmen are confident that they can "slug" the ball harder than any team on the coast, in fact knock it into "pi." Still the jobbers will "stick" to them pretty closely, and if they are given plenty of "space" they will show a two "column" score that would be a credit to any cricket eleven. There is nothing to "justify" heavy betting on either side; the "proof" of superiority will be found in the game. It will be a square contest, and neither side will sell their victory for any money.

The James Bays and the Maple Leafs will play the seventh game in the championship series on Saturday next. The game will be played in the enclosed grounds of the St. Andrew's and Caledonian society, and not on Beacon Hill.

WRESTLING.

A wrestling match between Matsada Sorakichi, the Japanese, and James H. Faulkner will take place in Philharmonic Hall on Saturday evening. Either will give $50 if they fail to throw anyone in British Columbia who will wrestle with them, in twenty minutes.

LACROSSE.

The lacrosse match at Westminster on Saturday afternoon between the Vancouver and Westminster teams was won by the former after a hard struggle, the score standing 2 to 3. The last goal, which decided the match, was not really won by Vancouver, but was merely a rebound from the stick of Corbett, of the Westminsters. The ball, which was flung from behind the goal, struck his stick in mid-air, dropped on the ground, and in the momentary absence of the gaol-keeper, bounded between the uprights, and thus made a present of the victory to the visitors. At the conclusion of the game the two clubs gathered together in the center of the field and Vancouver gave three rousing cheers for their plucky opponents, to which the latter responded in like manner. On reaching the Colonial Hotel the two clubs and their friends sat down to a royal spread, and spent a few hours in having a jolly good time.

HERE AND THERE.

Ed. Hanlan, ex-champion oarsman of the world, arrived at San Francisco on Saturday by the Zealandia from Australia. Hanlan says his rowing days are over, and he is returning to Toronto, where he will reside in future.

The Port Townsend Call says Mr. W. E. Stevens, who was sent to Victoria, has returned to Port Townsend, and reports "that Victoria will be with us on the Fourth, the Amity base ball club will also come, and the fastest horses in Victoria will take part in the races. This is good news, and every citizen of Port Townsend will exert himself to make their stay among us pleasant."

Ned Hanlan, who arrived at San Francisco from Australia on Saturday, is an enthusiastic admirer of Searle, the Australian sculler. "Searle is one of the most wonderful athletes Australia has produced," remarked Hanlan. "He far outclasses such men as Beach and Kemp, and no one will deny that both are great oarsmen. Searle has the advantage of a most powerful constitution, and is a phenominal stayer. He is also a spurter of the most extraordinary kind. He starts away on a race at forty-five strokes to the minute, and will keep it up a couple of minutes, and then slow down to thirty-six, and still keep flying. After a while he runs up the stroke again to forty-five, and keeps alternating that way right through the race. The man that beats him is certainly entitled to the championship of the world. I know of no one who can beat him unless it is O'Connor. O'Connor has speed enough to keep even with Searle for a mile. I am certain of that, but it remains to be seen whether he can go the distance."

WITH SWEEPING MAJORITIES.

The Tramway and Loan By-Laws Again Carried.

As everybody hoped and almost everyone expected, the by-laws guaranteeing interest on the bonds of the National Electric Tramway Company, and the $45,000 loan by-law were again carried yesterday with sweeping majorities—proportionately greater than on the former vote. The verdict of the people is for progress, and there can be no doubt in regard to the heartiness in which they have expressed themselves.

At 4:30 o'clock the returning officer, Mr. W. K. Bull, announced the result of the poll at the city hall, as follows:

THE TRAMWAY BY-LAW.

For the by-law	315
Against "	25
Majority	290

THE LOAN BY-LAW.

For the by-law	319
Against "	39
Majority	280

The voting in the various wards was as follows:

THE TRAMWAY.

	For.	Against
James Bay Ward	124	6
Johnson St. "	121	13
Yates " "	70	6

THE LOAN.

	For.	Against
James Bay Ward	117	64
Johnson St. "	123	18
Yates " "	79	7

THE STORY OF A WILL.

(From the Toronto Mail.)

To the Editor of the Mail: Having seen a letter in your paper from Mr. John Cooper, of this town, reminded me of an incident which occurred about three years ago. A friend of mine, Mr. A. Seymour, was staying at Vermillion Bay, on the C. P. R., west of here. A legacy was left to him by an uncle in London, Eng. Mr. Seymour was in such bad health at the time that he thought he would not be alive when the legacy would reach here. He therefore wrote to me asking me to have his will prepared and sent to him for signature, etc., appointing me as the legatee in trust. The will was prepared by John M. Munn, Esq., barrister, of this town, and was sent to Mr. Seymour. It was returned to me duly executed, and is still in my possession.

In the same letter was a request to send half a dozen bottles of Warner's Safe Cure and some pills. I sent them. I received a letter some time after asking me to send some more, as he was feeling much better. I did so, and the next I knew Mr. Seymour himself came to town and told me (and looked it) that he was a well man. He got his money through the Ontario Bank here, and is now in British Columbia, and was in good health when I last heard from him.

I may say that I know both Mr. and Mrs. Cooper well, and the facts in Mrs. Cooper's case are as stated in Mr. Cooper's letter.

You can publish this or not, as you think fit, as it is nothing to me either way.

Yours, etc., W. C. Dobie, J. P.
Port Arthur, Ont., May 23.

[The foregoing letter is bona fide, and not an advertisement.—Editor Mail.]

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PERSONAL.

J. A. Morris, of Spokane Falls, is at the Driard.

F. G. Smith, the well-kown Portlander, is in town.

T. C. Gamble, C.E., arrived on the Islander last night.

Geo. C. Mitchell, rancher, Clinton, is spending a few days in the city.

James Dunsmuir arrived down from Wellington yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Pemberton, wife of Hon. A. F. Pemberton, is dangerously ill.

E. V. Bodwell, president Vancouver Board of Trade, is in the city.

Superintendent H. B. Roycraft returned from the mainland last evening.

Jas. Orr, M.P.P., arrived from Vancouver last night, and is at the Oriental.

R. P. Rithet came over from the mainland by the Westminster boat last evening.

A. J. Clark, of Elinore & Clark, Vancouver, was a passenger by the Islander last night.

M. Lumby, president of the S. & O. Railway, came over on the Islander last evening.

Capt. W. Norman Bole, M.P.P., was a passenger over from New Westminster last evening.

J. M. Bowell, collector of customs, Vancouver, was a passenger by the Islander last night.

Melville D. Landon (Eli Perkins) and wife arrived by the Potter last evening, and are at the Driard.

E. A. and Miss Wadhams, of Ladner's Landing, came over from Westminster last evening.

W. P. Hannington and party, of Calusa, Col., are spending a few days in the city, guests at the Driard.

Rt. Rev. Bishop Lemmens, who has been visiting the Catholic missions on the west coast, returned to Victoria on Monday.

E. E. Schultz, advance representative of Johnson and Slavin's minstrels, and an old newspaper man himself, is at the Oriental. His well-known company will appear at The Victoria to-morrow evening.

William Dee, night manager of the C.P.R. Telegraph office in this city, returned from Vancouver last evening, accompanied by Mrs. Dee, who has just crossed the continent from Toronto to join her husband here.

Ald. W. W. Farley, of Toronto, is in Vancouver, and will visit Victoria in a few days.

Col. Stevens, United States Consul, will leave for California shortly, for the benefit of his health.

Arthur B. Sole, of St. Thomas Rectory, Winchester, England, is at the Driard.

David Simpson, of the Bank of B. N. A., Victoria, has gone to Vancouver to assume the management of the branch bank in that city. Mr. Simpson has been an obliging and popular official while in this city, and his friends, while pleased at his promotion, will regret his departure.

Mrs. J. W. Williams and Miss Broderick left for Toronto on Sunday's train for the purpose of joining Dr. Withrow's tourist party to Europe. A couple of months will be spent traveling through England, France, Switzerland, Italy, etc., including, of course, the Paris exposition. Dr. Withrow is an accomplished traveller, and as the party is under his personal direction, those composing it have the advantage of his experience, and also of the reduced rates which are given.

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VICTORIA PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

A public meeting of the registered Householders and Freeholders will be held at the City Hall on Monday, the 10th instant, at 11 a. m., for the purpose of receiving the report of the Trustees.

The annual election of a Trustee for each Ward will be held on Monday, the 17th instant, as follows:—

For James Bay Ward, at the Hook and Ladder House, Government street.
For Yates Street Ward, at Burnes' Building, Bastion Square.
For Johnson Street Ward, at the City Hall.

In case a poll is demanded, voting will commence at 10 a. m. on the following day, and close at 4 p. m.

R. WOLFENDEN,
Secretary School Board.

Victoria, 3rd June, 1889.

MISCELLANEOUS.

SUMAS, W. T.

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